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STORY OF A BASEBALLIST THIS EVENING

That Monessen is becoming a cleaner, much better and more christianized town is evidenced by the good work that has been done during the few months past and that is still being done by the earnest workers of the community.

Sunday at the Presbyterian church two very effective sermons were delivered by Rev. Houck the evangelist, and the congregations both morning and evening taxed the seating capacity of the church.

"The possibility of committing a sin that cannot be forgiven," was the evening subject and Rev. Houck was listened to with wrapt attention and in response to the invitation, many signified the intention of living the better life.

This Monday evening, all should be present who can and hear Pete Porter tell the story of "A Diamond Conquest for Christ" being first a repetition or review of the Acts of the Apostles, the setting of the story being that the speaker. Mr. Porter himself, closed the year's base ball season as a royal good fellow, and appeared on the diamond the following spring a christian. He stood the test, though—jeers, sneers and persecutions by his fellow players—and remained true. It is a story—a true story—that will not soon be forgotten, and will be helpful to all in deciding just what they should do and what can be done if one only makes up their mind to act, and then stand firmly by that action.

The cottage prayer-meetings for Tuesday afternoon will be, Mrs. H. E. Gress 472 Reed avenue, and Mrs. A. B. Armstrong 212 Donner. The 7 o'clock prayer meeting will be held as usual in the church. A cordial welcome to all.

Sunday afternoon the meeting at the Christian church was well attended and Evangelist Porter explained thoroughly the intent and scope of the proposed Personal Worker's League for Monessen, and placed the plan squarely before the people as a personal matter, and pictured it as a union of forces to maintain and advance the christian work already begun; to, as it were, clean up and keep clean the community in which we live. Another meeting will be held in the Christian church next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock to further discuss the subject and formulate plans for permanent organization.

Sunday evening at the Christian church, Rev. Hughes, the pastor being absent, the pulpit was filled by J. E. Newcomer, who preached a most eloquent and convincing sermon and quite a number came forward for the right hand of fellowship and for some re-consecration.

DEATH RECORD

After a lingering illness of tuberculosis covering a period of several months, Attorney C. C. Reed died this morning at 11 o'clock at the home of his mother in Washington, Pa. Mr. Reed was for almost a year a practicing attorney of this city and only gave up his profession when he was overcome by the trouble. He was taken to the home of his parent, but from the first there was no change for the better and his condition gradually grew worse until death came. Mr. Reed was born and raised near Ligonier, this county, on a farm and was graduated from a law school about five years ago. He practiced in Boise, Idaho for a time, and leaving that place he located in Monessen. He was aged 30 years and was an energetic, industrious young man and was pushing to the front rapidly, and had he been spared some day he would have been one of the foremost attorneys at the Westmoreland bar. He made many friends during his stay here who will be pained to learn of his death. Besides a widow and little daughter, aged five years, the survivors are, a mother, two brothers and one sister. The brothers are Dr. Joseph Reed of Derry, Paul at home and Miss Carrie who is a teacher in the local schools. The remains well be taken to Ligonier for interment and the funeral will occur Wednesday at 1 o'clock at that place.

Josephine, the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. C. Meiser of East Schoonmaker avenue, died at 7 o'clock Saturday evening, March 9, 1912, after only four days' sickness of stomach trouble. Although the child had been ailing for three weeks, her case was not thought to be serious, and death came as a great shock to her many friends and friends of the family, as little Josephine was a great pet and favorite with all who knew her intimately. The funeral services were conducted Sunday evening at 5 o'clock by Rev. J. M. Jamieson and Rev. A. W. Davies, at the undertaking parlor of R.S. Kelly, the body being taken to Sligo, Clarion county today, for interment. Mr. and Mrs. Meiser have the deepest and most heartfelt sympathy of a large circle of friends in this sad hour, when the Lord has seen best to pluck from earth another bright flower of love, perpetual sunshine and happiness, to be with Him in the heavenly land.

Charles Linn Furnier of Charleroi, age 23, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Furnier of that place, died Friday after three months' sickness from tubercular trouble. "Linn," as he was familiarly known as one of the most popular members of last year's Christian church ball team, playing third base, and his old team mates were chosen for pall bearers. He was a member of the Protected Home Circle and an earnest worker in the Christian church. The funeral was held at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon, interment in Maple Creek cemetery. Deceased had many warm friends in Monessen, he having for quite a time been employed here as a plumber and gas fitter with the C. W. Culler Co.

IT'S DIFFERENT NOW

AND GEORGE SAID PAPA I WILL NOT TELL A LIE I DID IT WITH MY NEW AXE. SO HIS FATHER DID NOT CHASTISE HIM
GEORGE AIN'T GOT NOTHING ON ME
FATHER I WILL NOT TELL A LIE, I DID IT WITH YOUR AXE

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SMALL SUNDAY BLAZE CAUSES SOME STIR

Shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon smoke was seen pouring from the sides of the two story frame store room and dwelling house, on Schoonmaker avenue next to the Commercial Hotel, by the people passing by on the street below and an alarm sent in. The fire department hurried to the scene and quickly had the fire, which was confined mostly in the sidewalls, completely under control.

The building is owned by August Karlowsky and was occupied on the lower floors by a foreign family, the store room was vacant at the time and on the second floor lived two families, those of Martin Kneisel and W. J. Sethman. The origin of the fire is unknown although it is supposed to have started from a defective flue. It had been burning for several hours before being discovered and had eaten its way from the basement, along the walls to the garret.

The damage to the building will be several hundred dollars, covered by insurance and the furniture loss is confined mainly tto damage by water.

GEORGE H. STEVENS BUYS A CITY HOTEL

President George H. Stevens of the Monessen city council has purchased a hotel on Frankstown avenue, Pittsburgh, and application has been made to the Allegheny county court for the transfer of license which, it is thought, will be effected without delay. Mr. Stevens is one of Monessen's most progressive and substantial business men citizens, and and we feel pleased to recommend him heartily to the people of the community with which he will be associated, as a gentleman wholly worthy every trust and confidence in his new field of labors.

P. M. Protzman of Avalon visited here Saturday with his nephew John Protzman.

STRAW VOTE TAKEN FAVORS W. H. TAFT

There can be no doubt but what the attitude of Monessen with regard to the nomination of a candidate for President will be strongly for William H. Taft. Some time ago, locally as well as generally, there was an under current for Roosevelt, but with the introduction of the Underwood tariff bill and the threatened annoyance to the industrial conditions in the event of its becoming a law with the possible reduction to wage earners, has been causing people everywhere to sit up and take notice, and this fact has been the means of bringing about a strong Taft sentiment. This morning among the foremen of the Pittsburgh Steel a sentiment was obtained. Every foreman in the mill was asked his position with regard to the presidential possibilities and ninety per cent declared in favor of the Taft administration.

Roy Black of Washington, Pa., was a visitor in town Saturday on business.

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Next to Olympic Theatre.

LOCAL BUSINESS CHANGES OWNERS

M. W. Cheesebrough has disposed of his blacksmith and wagon making business, R. J. Boyd of Ambridge being the new proprietor. The deal was made a few day ago and Mr. Boyd has already taken charge and will continue to conduct a regular smithing business. Mr. Cheesebrough expects to enter the coal and coke business in Monessen as soon as convenient. Many people in Monessen and vicinity will regret to hear of Mr. Cheesebrough retiring for he is considered one of the best workmen in the country. His successor is known to local people on account of having held a position with Mr. Cheesebrough some time ago and he takes charge of the business with a well established trade.

"We Killed the Bear"

A coon out in East Finley, a big fellow, too, weighing about 25 pounds, met his match in an encounter with a young matron Tuesday night. Mrs. Annie Montgomery went out onto the porch after her husband had retired and noticed what she took for the cat sitting on the porch. She gave a kick and the animal ran through the open doorway into the room. By the light Mrs. Montgomery saw it was a coon. She attacked the animal and called to Nick to come along and help with the killing. Nick made a good start. But if you know anything about going after a coon in your bare feet and without gloves, you know Nick was not trained to meet the coon's claws. So Nick went down—into the cellar with the door closed—until the count. And little Mrs. Nick had the battle with Mr. Coon. Being the daughter of a mighty nimrod she laid the coon out after a strenuous fight. Course Nick is proud of the little wife who helped him kill the coon.—Claysville Recorder. This reminds us of a story we used to hear told of a similar nature. Only in that case it was a big black bear, and after it as all over and the wife had dispatched his bearship the "brave" husband came climbing down the old-fashioned ladder leading to the attic, where he had been hiding, and rubbing his hands togther in great glee he said: "I tell you wife, we killed the bear, didn't we?"

Popular music— 15c. KEEFER & ROBINS 403 Donner avenue. 13-tf

OUR BURGESS' WORK IS WELL THOUGHT OF

The following appeared as an editorial in the last issue of the Duquesne Observer and the article speaks for itself in truthful and forceful terms:

"The burgess of Monessen has demonstrated over and over again that he is far from being a spineless official and that he intends to make the hustling little city over which he presides a place where decency and good order shall be the first consideration.

The latest evidence of Burgess Reamer's determination in this direction was contained in an order that all booze should be eliminated from weddings, christenings, dances and other social affars in Monessen. Best of all, the plucky burgess is enforcing the order, with the result that disturbances at these social functions are not nearly as numerous as they were under the old arrangement. The Observer has long contended that the authorities of Duquesne should do the same thing, and it is pleasing to know that Burgess Crawford has taken a somewhat similar stand in this place. The local chief executive has instructed the chief of police to raid every social affair that is conducted in Turner hall, if it be found that intoxicating liquors are being sold. The town is certain to be better because of the order, just as the experience of Monessen has proven.

It is a pity that the same order cannot be made to apply to all the booze clubs of the town, for of the two evils the club is certainly the worst."

The above is inspired by the firm position taken by the Daily Independent along the lines of a better and cleaner town in support of Burgess Reamer's positive and much-to-be commended edict, and it is gratifying to our worthy Burgess, this paper, and the better thinking people of Monessen to realize that the movement is not only working good in our own midst, but is reaching out and being grasped and applied by others for the improvement and betterment of conditions.

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NEW SPRING SHOES

For early spring we are now showing the new lasts and leathers which will be popular this year, among which you will find a particularly nice White Nubuck which can be washed with soap and water—Also Tans, White Duck, Velvet and Suede Boots all at prices from

$2.50 to $4.00

We Invite Your Inspection

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508 Donner Avenue
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Do you use Hydrogen Peroxide?

The American market is flooded with different makes of Hydrogen Peroxide, sold at all sorts of prices The Parke, Davis & Co. brand has been proved to be 30 per cent stronger than others on the market today. At the end of nine months it loses in strength only .06 per cent. The others lose from 1 to 64 40 per cent It certainly does not benefit a man who purchases Peroxide at a low price, for he has little more than ordinary water in the bottle after the lapse of three or four months. We have on our shelves some cheap stuff, and then we have the best—Parke, Davis & Co.'s.

Craig's Drug Store

Monessen Savings & Trust Co.

Since this bank began business its total net earnings have been $127,363.42, from which the stockholders have received $48,000.00 in dividends, and the balance, $79,363.42, has gone back into the working capital of the business to increase the protection and security of depositors. The stockholdess now have invested in this business $229,363.42, every dollar of which is for the protection of its depositors. This is in line with this bank's policy to give first consideration to the interests and protection of its customers. **Your Account is Invited.**

E. M. FRYE, Pres. J. HOWARD KELLY, Treas.
T. S. ADAMS, Asst. Treas.

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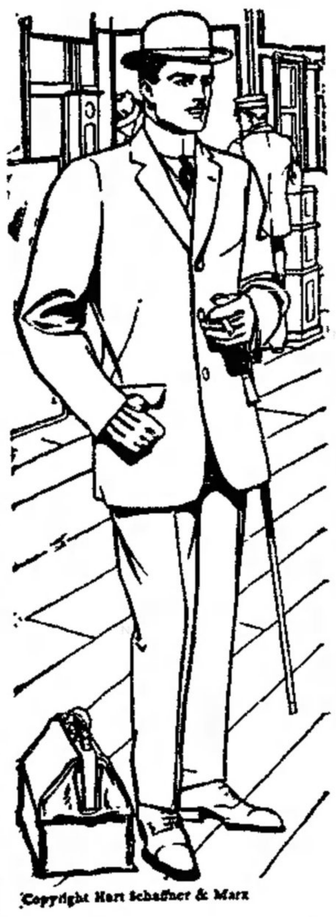

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Only daily paper published in Westmoreland county in the upper section of the Monongahela valley.

American juries during the past half year have acquitted ten women of murder, almost all of whom killed their husbands. It is undoubtedly true that their chances for acquittal would have been far less had women been chosen on the juries. Early in the history of the present day jury system women were recognized as eligible thereto. It would seem a strong argument in favor of female suffrage if it would only restore women again to our court juries. Then not nearly so many guilty ones would escape the just punishment due them.

ONE MILLION DOLLARS FOR A GOOD STOMACH

This Offer Should Be a Warning to Every Man ann Woman

The newspapers and medical journals recently have had much to say relative to a famous millionaire's offer of a million dollars for a new stomach.

This great multi-millionaire was too busy to worry about the condition of his stomach. He allowed his dyspepsia to run from bad to worse until in the end it became incurable.

His misfortune serves as a warning to others.

Every one who suffers with dyspepsia for a few years will give everything he owns for a new stomach.

Dyspepsia is commonly caused by an abnormal state of the gastric juices, or by lack of tone in the walls of the stomach. The result is that the stomach loses its power to digest food.

We are now able to supply certain missing elements—to help to restore to the gastric juices their digestive power, and to aid in making the stomach strong and well.

We know that Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets are a most dependable remedy for disordered stomachs, indigestion, and dyspepsia.

We want you to try them and will return your maoney if you are not more than satisfied with the result.

Three sizes, 25 cents, 50 cents, and $1.00 Remember, you can only obtain Rexall Remedies in this community only at our store—The Rexall Store. Craig's Drug Store.

Republican Announcement

According to the Republican party of Westmoreland County, the primary election will be held at the several polling places on Saturday the 13th day of April 1912 between the hours of 2 p. m. and 8 p m. We nominate,

One person for Congress.

One person for State Senator.

Two Members or Assemblymen for the State Legislature Eastern District.

Three Members or Assemblymen for the State Legislature Western District.

Two Delegates to the National Republican Convention.

Two Delegates to the National Republican Convention.

Two Alternates to the National Republican Convention.

Two Delegates to the State Republican Convention, Eastern District.

Five Delegates to the State Republican Convention Western District.

The following persons have complied with all the rules governing the Republican party.

FOR STATE SENATOR
Joseph A. McCurdy, of Greensburg.
Chester D. Sensenich, of Irwin.
Denna C. Ogden, of Greensburg.

FOR STATE DELEGATE
(2nd District)
A. N. Shuster of Monessen.

FOR CONGRESS
Edward E. Robbins, of Greensburg, Pa.
A. L. Keister, of Scottdale, Pa.

ASSEMBLY
(1st Dist.)
W. W. Ulerich, Latrobe, Pa.
(2nd Dist.)
John F. Ely Jeannette, Pa.
(2nd Dist.)
E. F. Dickey, New Kensington.

DELEGATE TO NATIONAL CONVENTION
Reynolds Laughlin, New Kensington, Pa. (Roosevelt Delegate)

1t Chester D. Sensenich,
Chairman Republican Committee.

FOR RENT

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One six room house with bath.
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All in the resident section of Belle Vernon.

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Republican Announcements

FOR CONGRESS
Twenty-second District
HON. EDWARD E. ROBBINS
of Greensburg
Subject to the decision of the Republican voters, April 13.

FOR ASSEMBLY
District No. 2.
F. J. McALLISTER
of New Kensington
Subject to the decision of the Republican voters, April 13.

BLACKLEG

Owners of livestock in Westmoreland county whose cattle are exposed to the infection of blackleg or blackquarter, may have their cattle vaccinated against this disease by the State Livestock Sanitary Board, Harrisburg, before April 1st 1912.

1. A letter asking for the vaccination shall be written and mailed to Dr. C. J. Marshall, Secretary of the State Livestock Sanitary Board, Harrsburg, before April 1st, 1912.

2. The letter shall contain the name and address of the owner of the cattle, a statement as to the location of the farm upon which the animals are kept and the number and kind of animals in the herd.

Vaccinations cannot be made at the expense of the State Livestock Sanitary Board upon application received after April 1st. For such cases vaccine will be furnished free of charge, but the owner will be required to defray the expenses of employing the veterinarian to administer it.

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CLASSIFIED ADS.

Classified advertisements such as For Sale, To Let, Help Wanted, Boarding and Lodging and all such advertisements will be run under this heading at the rate of a cent a word.

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WANTED—Good experienced girl for general housework. Apply No. 30 Reed avenue. 36-3t-p

WANTED—Salesmen. Good commissions paid for seling trees, shrubs, roses, etc. Every home owner a possible customer. Free outfit—Remittances weekly. Brown Brothers' Nurseries, Rochester, N. Y.

Furnished front room suitable for one or two gentlemen., 411 Park Way near 4th street steps. 34-3t-p

FOR SALE—A large fire-proof safe. Good condition. Inquire of R. S. Kelly, 356 Donner avenue. 24 tf

FOR RENT—French hall, Third street. Inquire of Jean Martin or Eli Tueche. 11 tf

For Sale—Farm of 11 acres, good six room house and other out buildings, good well of water, gas and city water, 5 minutes walk from Borough line of Belle Vernon. Ask Frank Sevelli, 309 Schoonmaker. 26t

WANTED—Girl for general house work. Inquire W. A. Harris, 444 Reed avenue. 32-3t-p

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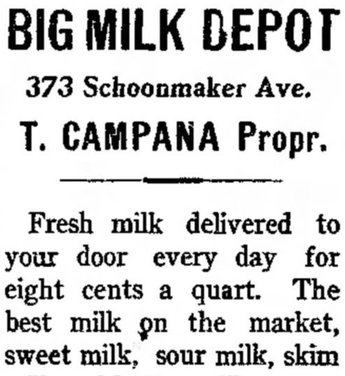

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is the condition of mind enjoyed by the man who has insured his house against loss by fire. Of course you don't want your house to burn down, but the insurance will be a great start in rebuilding.
We can help you to protect your home—also to protect one if you haven't any.
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Monesson Savings & Trust Co

FOR THOSE ABOUT TO MOVE

These Few Little Hints May or May Not Prove to Have a Practical Value.

Never order the moving van to be at your door before 7:00 a. m. It annoys father to have his bed carried into the street while he is still using it.

In packing up always stow away first father's razor, shaving brush and mug, change of linen and fancy vests. Bury them at the bottom of the largest packing case beneath the books and the bed quilts. This will cause father to go without shaving for a week, and the new neighbors will take him for one of the regular moving van men.

Be sure to have your best pieces of furniture taken out of the van first and into the house last. For by your furniture are you judged. However, if you have no best furniture, or if your rent is overdue, move at night.

Be sure to tell your husband where you are moving to. This saves trouble and annoyance. Many a man has left home in the morning only to discover when he returned at night that his wife had moved during the day without leaving her change of address. Before home can be a source of joy and comfort to him, a man must know where it is.

After the moving van men start to carry a heavily loaded bureau up the stairs be on hand to warn them to be careful of the walls. This will annoy the men, and you will discover how fluent is their speech; also how profane.

Remember that the landlord owns the window screens, shades and gas fixtures.

The day before, the very day, and for a week after moving cold boiled ham is an excellent substitute for food. It is easy to serve. You don't even have to add a little hot water.—Detroit Free Press.

BRAND NOT IN THE MARKET

Mrs. Newlywed Had Done Her Best, but Black Coffee Was a Thing Unattainable.

After the honeymoon came the cozy flat, Young Mr. Benedict was mighty proud of his wife, even if she was from the country, and eager to show her to his cronies.

"Dulcinia, dear," he said one morning, "I want to bring dear old Tom up for dinner and good old Dick and nice old Harry. Want 'em to see you and taste your cookery. I've told them all about your dishes. There's just one special thing I don't want you to forget. It's the black coffee to wind up with. Tom's particularly fond of good black coffee, and for that matter so am I."

Promptly at 6 came Mr. Benedict and cronies three. Mr. B. showed his guests into the parlor, while he made hasty tracks for the gas range neighborhood and kissed the cook again, privately.

"Well, how about everything, little woman. Got all the stuff together?"

"Ye—yes, dear," replied small Mrs. B. with just a shade of reservation in her voice. "I've got the crown of chops and the peas and a salad—oh, a beeeeautiful salad—and I've baked some little biscuits! There's only one thing I simply couldn't get (I do hope you aren't too disappointed), for I went to every store in the neighborhood. It's black coffee, dear. I hunted and hunted, truly. Not a single shop has anything but brown!"

His Deduction.

Eugene Conner, son of F. D. Conner of the Guardian Bank, who lives in Roxbury road, East Cleveland, is a studious lad, says the Leader. Moreover, he is given to deduce his own facts without much scientific investigation. He attends the Prospect school in the Stamberger village, longing for the time when he may attend Shaw High.

Eugene's teacher asked him one day this week what the principal product of the cod was.

"Codliver oil," was the instant reply. He knew that. And he never did like it.

"And what is it we get from the seal?" continued the teacher.

"Sealing wax," responded the youngster.

Aeroplane in War Game.

For the first time the aeroplane has been used in France to register the results of firing practice by siege artillery batteries. Six batteries were firing at the Chalons camp the other day, and an attempt was made to register the results by means of a biplane. The air was in such a boiling state owing to the heat that the biplane proved useless. Lieutenant Rose then mounted a monoplane, flew over the line of batteries at a height of 500 yards, and in a flight of three minutes was able to observe the fire of the six batteries Returning, he dropped cards at the feet of the officers in command on which he had noted the results. This task has previously been carried out from captive balloons.

Came Back for His Money.

Sixteen years ago a worker at Messrs. Singers' machine works at Kilbowie, Dumbartonshire, left the firm's employment omitting to take with him 14s. 7d., wages due. He spent four years in England, and afterwards joined the army, serving 12 years, mostly abroad. A few days ago the man, whose name is Calligan, called again at Kilbowie and claimed his money, established his right to it, and got it.—The Scotsman.

Facts And Fiction

Experiences of Monessen Citizens Are Easily Proven to be Facts

The most superficial investigation will prove that the following statement, from a resident of Monessen is true. Read it and compare evidence from Monessen people with testimony of strangers living so far away you cannot investigate the facts of the case. Many more citizens of Monessen will endorse Doan'o Kidney Pills.

Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, 452 McKee avenue, Monessen, Pa., says: "I think that the change of drinking water when I moved here was the cause of my kidney trouble. The kidney secretions became irregular in passage and caused me annoyance. I was subject to dizzy spells, could not sleep well and was very nervous. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills advertised, I got a box from the Hirsch Drug Co. and commenced their use. They have greatly helped me and have lived up to all the claims made for them."

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Remember the name—Doan's and take no other.

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that the secret of perfect style, comfort and health lies in the wearing of the Spirella Corset. Have me call at your earliest convenience-
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Phone 185-J 249 6th St.

AN ORDINANCE

An Ordinance to provide for the licensing of transient retail mer chants, fixing the license thereof and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Council of the Borough of Monessen, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the authority of the same.

Section 1st. That it shall be unlawful for every person, whether principal or agent, entering into, beginning or desiring to begin, a transient, retail business in the Borough of Monessen for the sale of any goods, wares or merchandise whatsoever, whether the same shall be represented or held forth to be bankrupt, assignees, or about to quit business, or of goods damaged by fire, water or otherwise, unless such person or persons shall first have procured or taken out a license for the conduct of such business from the proper authorities of the Borough.

Section 2. The license fee to be paid by the person or persons engaged or desiring to engage in such business shall not be less than twenty-five, ($25.00), dollars nor more than two hundred ($200.00) dollars per month, or fractional part thereof, to be paid to the treasurer of the Borough. Such license to be renewed monthly during the continuance of said sale, and upon the failure of said person or persons to secure such license, he, she or they shall be fined, upon conviction, in a sum not less than One Hundred Dollars nor more than Two Hundred Dollars, to be collected as other fines are collected, and in default of payment of said fine, to be imprisoned in the County Jail for a period not exceeding thirty days.

Section 3. All ordinances, or parts of ordinances, inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted in Council this first day of March, 1912.

Geo. H. Stevens,
President of Council.

Attest:
J. E. Pittman
Clerk.

Approved this 1st day of March, 1912.

Daniel Reamer,
Burgess.

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McGEARY & MARSH, Attorneys,
Estate of Rebecca J. Clementson, Deceased.

Executor's Notice

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentory on the estate of Rebecca J. Clementson, late of Rostraver township, Westmoreland county, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, by the Register of Westmoreland county, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them to the undersigned, duly authenticated for settlement.

T. W. KISOR,
Monessen, Pa. Executor.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

E. G. Knight and son Howard were Arnold City visitors yesterday.

Always EDDY for drugs.

Roy Smallwood was visting friends in Elizabeth yesterday evening.

Use Pura greaseless cream for the complexion 25c at Kirk's.

Ladies, you are especially invited to attend the auction sale at Brenners, the Jeweler. Handsome souvenirs given at each sale. 36-2t

Miss Elton Martz of California visited here over Sunday with relative.

St. Patrick Day post cards; see Kirk's window.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Van Gorder of Wilmerding were over Sunday visitors with Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Day.

New "Rag" and old "Standards" in music, 10 and 15c at KEEFER & ROBINS. 403 Donner ave. 13 tf

Remember there is no goods reserved at the auction sale of the Brenner jewelery stock now being sold at auction. 36 2t

A. J. Martin and K. C. Robinson of Washington, Pa., were visiting friends here Saturday afternoon.

Do you dance? If you do, attend the one to be given by the Hickory Club March 18th in Turner hall. 75 cents a couple. Celonial orchestra. 36-6t

Miss Jesse Duvall of Coal Center was a week-end visitor with her brother, John S. Duvall of Fourth street.

Violet Ammonia, delightful for the bath, 15c at Kirk's.

C. M. Lamb and R. H. Thatcher left yesterday evening for Chicago to be gone several days on a short business trip.

Senna Leaves and Chamomile Flowers fresh and clean. 5 and 10c a package. See Kirk's window.

T. Foss and V. Drew of Braddock, were visitors yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ferguson, on Donner avenue.

The entire stock of Phil Brenner the Jeweler, is going at your own price. The auction opens at 2:30 in the afternoon. 36-2t

Walter Bumbaugh and James Schumm were Pittsburgh visitors Saturday evening and attended "The Never Homes" at the Alvin.

Sheet music—15c. seven for $1. KEEFER & ROBINS 403 Donner avenue. 13 tf

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There will be a meeting of all the members of last year's Presbyterian team and all those desiring to try for a position this year at the furniture store of W. S. Moore on Donner avenue at 7 o'clock sharp, this evening.

The Hickory Club will give a dance in Turner hall March 18th, St. Patrick's day. You are welcome. 75 cents a couple. Colonial orchestra. 36-9t

Ladies, your are especially invited to attend the auction sale at Brenners, the Jeweler. Handsome souvenirs given at each sale. 36-2t

The Belle Vernon Enterprise was so chock full of news last week that the foreman of the composing room had to cut the editorial columns. "Some class," when things happen like that.

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Remember That Oyster Supper

An oyster supper will be given by the members of the United Presbyterian church, Saturday evening, March 16, from 4:30 until 10 o'clock, in the Speigelberg building, corner of Fourth and Schoonmaker (the room formerly occupied by Warpola and Pasoja's grocery). The expense of the supper will be only 25 cents and a most cordial invitation is extended to every person. 36 6t

CLARK A FAITHFUL FRIEND

Humanity of the Speaker Illustrated by Little Story Told by Congressman Pepper.

"One of the most striking phases of Champ Clark's many-sided character is his humanity," remarked Representative L. S. Pepper of Iowa at the Willard. "He never forgets a friend, political or otherwise, and I know it. Some of the speaker's friends told me a story not long ago that illustrates this side of his nature.

"It seems that when a young lawyer, Clark was ambitious to be elected prosecuting attorney of his county. There was an old fellow—his name was Burwell—who ran a small grocery in Clark's town. He was a little testy, perhaps, for he did not like to be disturbed when telling a story, not even to wait on customers. The store, in fact, was conducted for the purpose of giving him an opportunity to hold forth in pleasant discourses with his friends. He was in comfortable circumstances and didn't have to work. Politically he was a man of large influence in his community and was Clark's friend. He helped elect him prosecuting attorney. It was a number of years ago, of course.

"Not long ago, I was told, Clark heard that the old man was sick and a trifle short of funds. He learned of it through an old neighborhood friend. You know Champ Clark is not particularly frugal and never accumulated a large bank account; but he sat down and wrote a check that turned his balance into an overdraft, gave it to Wallace Bassford, and told him to 'send this check to old man Burwell.'"

CATCH TROUT TO SAVE THEM

Idaho Officials Seine Them in Irrigation Ditches and Put Them Back in River.

A rescue work of considerable magnitude is under way in the Big Lost River valley, Idaho, where L. C. Jones, assistant chief deputy in the state fish and game department, is directing the seining of the Big Lost River Land and Irrigation company's canal for trout, which are taken to the river proper and there deposited.

The canal was built about two years ago, and fish screens should have been provided at the head at that time, it is said, but it seems that this has never been done, with the result that it was feared that great quantities of trout would be lost when the waters of the canal began to diminish. The action of Mr. Jones and his assistants in securing the fish alive and returning them to the fresh and lasting waters of the main stream may save many trout.

It will be recalled that the waters in the canal are carried through a mountainous country in some sections, and that in coming down to the lowlands abrupt drops of from 15 to 20 feet are encountered occasionally. These the fish go over, and of course are unable to return. To prevent the members of the finny trabe from being carried to the fields and waste places where death would be inevitable, the work of seining the canal has been inaugurated. Reports are to the effect that the efforts of the rescuers are proving highly productive of results.

Freak Shoes.

A shoe manufacturer in referring to the increase in job lot shoe merchants said: "It is a peculiar situation when a wholesaler of jobs exclusively is enabled to purchase whole carloads of good staple shoes at a tremendous discount from actual cost to the shoe manufacturer, and that is just exactly what is being done.

"It is not to be understood that these job lot purchases are composed of rejected shoes or that they are of odd sizes or anything of the sort. They are regular factory lines of good staple shoes in full sizes and are sold at a great sacrifice because so many fads and innovations have crept in that good staple shoes remain in wholesalers' hands. Surely there is something radically wrong and out of joint in the shoe business when such conditions exist."—Shoe and Leather Reporter.

Cat and Dog Chums.

When my dog was a puppy I got a little kitten to keep him company, says a writer in Fur News. They got to be good friends, but as they got older the cat seemed to think she could take care of herself.

When the cat climbed a tree it seemed to puzzle the dog, and he would stand below the tree and look up at the cat and then at me, as if trying to understand how the cat could get up into the tree while he had to stay on the ground.

When evening came the dog would hunt up the cat and carry her to the kennel where they slept at night. The dog kept one of his forelegs over the cat and there she had to stay until morning. At last the cat was killed, but I have the dog yet.

Americans in Canada.

Americans are rapidly colonizing the three Canadian provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba. These three provinces had a population of 1,176,000 in 1909 and nearly 500,000 of these settlers were Americans. Last year America's contribution to the population of the provinces was 91,175 and these took with them an average of $1,000 each. A few years ago the land in any one of these provinces could be bought for $3 an acre. Now it ranges from $20 to $30 an acre.

Teeth Were Artificial

By Peggy Powers

"Jack, dear, be sure to come home early," said young Mrs. Clark.

"Why, Kate, what's up?"

"Have you forgotten the Mortons and Healys are coming for dinner?"

"Believe me, I won't forget it again. I'll be in time to change my collar. Good-by! Hope your first dinner will be a howling success.

Mrs. Clark was busy arranging the flowers for the table when her best friend called for a few minutes' chat.

"You're the cutest little housekeeper!" exclaimed Lillian. "How happy you must be in this darling bungalow!"

"I'd be supremely happy except for one thing. If I tell you, promise on your honor you'll never repeat it to a soul."

"I'll be as mum as a safety deposit vault," rejoined Lillian. "What's this awful mystery?"

"All my front teeth were knocked out in a frightful automobile accident when I was a school girl," began Mrs. Clark.

"That's ancient history now," interrupted Lillian.

"Not to Jack, however. He hasn't the least conception that mine are artificial."

"He married you for better or worse and he's better off than having to pay dentist bills."

"Why don't you tell him?"

"Impossible! Jack was absolutely shocked when he discovered my

"Do You Doubt My Veracity, Kate?"

switch and false puffs, and scandalized the first time he noticed my pink powder box. He abhors anything false. Horrors! Whenever he mentions my pearly white teeth I fell like an escaped convict."

"Don't fret over imaginary troubles," said Lillian, as she left. Cheer up, girlie! Your husband won't care."

The guests came, but no Jack.

"Jack is famous for his forgetting," commented Mr. Morton as they sat down to a cold dinner.

"Indeed, he's never been late to dinner before," protested his wife. "Either something important detained him, or he missed the suburban train."

As the last course was served Jack appears with profuse apologies.

"Beastly sorry to be so late! Could not reach you by 'phone; missed my train, had to wait an eternity for the next one."

"Jack," Kate said after the guests departed. "Why w ren't you home on time? That dinner was one dismal, dreadful failure."

"Don't be a human interrogation point. I've explai ed nearly a hundred times already. Do you doubt my veracity, Kate?"

"Was that pretty stenographer in the office late, too?"

"How dare you make such a remark!"

"So this is our first quarrel?"

"Stop your weeping. If you must know, I broke my plate."

"Your plate? What are you talking about?"

"It's a wonder I knew after all this excitement. My teeth are false ones, and I had to wait at the dentist's until the plate was mended. Are you satisfied now?"

"I am overjoyed, sweetheart," exclaimed Kate.

"What do you mean?"

"Only that you can't be so appalled now, when I tell you my teeth were knocked out in an auto accident and are also artificial," confessed Kate, much relieved.

"Oh! I knew about yours all the time," said Jack. "I saw them in a glass one morning."

To Conserve India's Rainfall.

A great scheme was proposed at Bombay recently, by which it is proposed to utilize India's huge rainfall for the purpose of providing electric power for industrial purposes to the Bombay section of Western India. During the monsoon season, there is a rainfall on the west coast averaging 175 inches at Lanoul, and sometimes greatly exceeding this figure. Three lakes or reservoirs are to be formed. One at Lanoul will be large enough to hold sufficient water during the longest breaks in the monsoon season, and the Walwhan Lake, covering 2½ square miles is to serve for the remainder of the year and will have a capacity of 2,600,000,000 cubic feet. The generating station is to be at Khopoli, 300 feet above the sea and 90 miles from Bombay.

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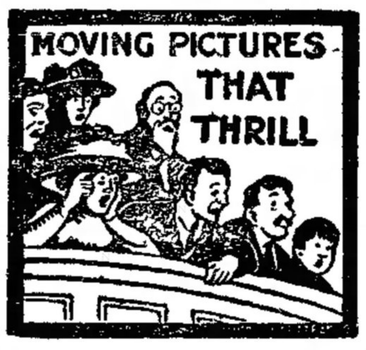

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She Was Jim's Sister

"What are you staring at?" asked Jim.

"At that stunning girl over there," replied Lawrence.

"Not that brunette with a figure like an hour glass She's some chorus lady."

"No, the slender blonde with her back towards you, standing in the entrance to the cafe. She doesn't look coarse to me."

"How can you admire anyone who affects those new-fangled extreme fashions?" questioned Jim.

"I'd sure like to meet her. By the way, old chap, I thought you intended introducing me to your sister."

"If you admire that girl, sis wouldn't interest you. None of those tube-like skirts, fly-away hats and vivid showy colors for her If my sister would be gowned like your fair friend I'd tell her a thing or two."

"Does your sister allow you to dictate to her?" asked Lawrence, fast losing his desire to meet the girl

"Oh, I give her brotherly advice occasionally. She's all a twitter just now. A crowd of girls are learning to build their own dresses in a school. I've offered her five dollars the first time she wears a home-made creation"

"Turn around," exclaimed Lawrence. "That girl is trying to flirt

"I'd Sure Like to Meet Her."

with us She just smiled the most adorable smile"

"He who flirts and runs away, lives to flirt another day," suggested Jim in a blase tone

"Why, she's coming toward us Must have made a hit with her I've read oceans about love at first sight, but this is the first time the waves have struck me"

Jim was so bored by his friend's conversation that he didn't lift his eyes from the plate until a voice near him said:

"Jim, can't you make room for us at your table? All the others are taken"

"Surely," he said rising. "This is my friend Lawrence Hancock; my sister, Florence"

"Your sister," exclaimed Lawrence in astonishment "Miss Allen? Why, your brother Jim was just talking about you, but somehow he failed to recognize you from a distance"

"It's a wise brother who recognizes his sister when she wears a new dress and hat which she made herself," laughed Florence "What do you think of my skill?"

"You're as sharp as a needle," said Lawrence admiringly.

"It's fierce, abominable and hideous," broke in Jim "Florence, for every frock that you don't make I'll give you five dollars. It's so tight it looks as though it had been made out of remnants, and a cow would run a mile if she saw that cerise hat coming along"

"Gee, but Jim's a brute," thought Lawrence "I only hope that some day I will have the privilege of paying for her frocks," he said aloud. "I presume your brother's word is law with you, Miss Allen."

"Indeed not," she answered airily. "I believe in woman's rights and its every woman's right to do just as she pleases, anyway brother's opinions about dress don't count.

"You look all right to me May I call on you tomorrow evening?"

"Do come," answered Florence cordially

"Thank you," responded Lawrence

After calling on Florence for about a month she gave him the hope he desired, that in the near future he could pay for her gowns

Cork Leg Nearly Drowned Him.

William Green's cork leg nearly caused his death recently at Wynn, Mass. He got beyond his depth while bathing, and his artificial leg was so buoyant that his feet went up in the air and his head was forced under water. Happily, he was saved by a college girl, who was out bathing with a companion. She managed to get hold of Greene by the hair and held his head out of water, while her escort rowed to shore with Greene dragging behind.

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"A String of Pearls," one of the greatest object lessons ever shown in moving pictures will be presented at the Luna theatre on next Wednesday This is a beautiful story in which the wife of a mulit-millionaire is presented with a string of pearls worth $250.000.00, and all it does is pamper her vanity. Those are not the real pearls of life. The real pearls are unearthed in the friends of a young man who at a great self sacrifice gather enough from their Xmas savings together for this young man to regain his lost health in the pure air of the country. A superb production, complete in every detail. 35 2t

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GARDEN ON VALUABLE LAND

Small Patch in Heart of City of London Is One of Capital's Curiosities.

There are many curious things about the Bank of England, but among them how many know that it possesses a respectable garden? It is to be found just inside the Threadneedle street entrance, on the left-hand side

This old-fashioned garden has a fountain in the center, graveled paths and a couple of trees, the whole forming a quadrangle with the bank building running all round

Its history is a curious one. In reality this garden is the churchyard of the vanished Church of St. Christopher-le-Stock. which used to stand where the Mansion House now is.

One reason why the church was pulled down was because its tower completely overlooked the bank, and it was feared that it would be a danger to the "Old Lady" if the church was occupied by rioters.

As the bank occupies the site of the entire parish of St. Christopher-le-Stock, it is said that any freeman of the city can claim admission to the old garden. But, as a matter of fact, any one who cares to see it may do so during business hours, and it is well worth a visit, if only for the fact that it is the most valuable garden in the world.

News Notes of Society

Mrs. J. K. Boyd, Mrs. E. C. Sattley, Mrs. J. S. Adams, Mrs. C. S. Duvall and Mrs. George Irons of Monessen, on Friday last attended a meeting of the Friday Conversational Club of Monongahela, at the home of Mrs. Albert M. Gregg. A brief business session was followed by an address by Prof. J. H. Cox of the University of West Virginia, on "The Emotional in Life and Literature." The lecture which was most pleasing and beneficial, was delivered in the library of the Gregg home which was most tastefully and delicately decorated with red and white carnations. A most interesting topic which came up for attention was the election of the club president, Mrs. H. C. Sutman as a vice president of the Congress of Woman's Clubs of Western Pennsylvania at a recent convention held in Pittsburgh. At the close of the afternoon's most interesting program the hostess, Mrs. Gregg served refreshments most delightfully. The club will meet next with Mrs. James Boyer, when new officers will be elected.

On Saturday evening, Miss Bertha McCabe entertained the "Decemberites" at her home on McKee avenue. The guests who numbered over 30 were the members of the casts that recently assisted in the staging of "Mrs. Busby's Pink Tea" and "Lend Me Five Shillings," at the opera house. A very enjoyable evening was spent in various diversions and with music. A delightful lunch was served.

Miss Ruth Kirk entertained the Bi-weekly Sewing club at her home on Fourth street on Saturday afternoon. A large membership was present and a pleasant afternoon was passed in embroidering and sewing. A dainty luncheon was seaved late in the afternoon after which the little guests departed for their homes.

Mrs. C. L. Lewis entertained the Sixth street bridge club at here home on McKee avenue, on Saturday evening. Five tables were used for the game which was "Bridge Whist." A dainty lunch was served by the hostess after which the members dispersed, voting the evening a most enjoyable one.

A BAD WINTER

There seems to be an unusual amount of bronchial trouble this winter and spring, but it need not cause alarm, for so many people have learned how to apply common sense methods in checking it.

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